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Thereof for Diagnosing and Treating Cancers

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DECLARATION

I declare:

- 1. I am an inventor of the subject matter described and claimed in the above-captioned patent application.
- 2. Hybridoma cell line 35C1, which is disclosed in the above-captioned patent application, was deposited as set forth below, with the Collection Nationale de Cultures de Microorganismes (CNCM; Paris, France) to assure availability to the public. Included with this declaration are a receipt and declaration of viability as provided by the CNCM.

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- 4. The CNCM has acquired the status of International Depository Authority, within the meaning of the Budapest Treaty on the International Recognition of the Deposit of Microorganisms for the Purposes of Patent Procedure, for deposits of bacteria, bacteria containing plasmids, filamentous fungi, yeasts, and viruses.
- 5. Access to the deposit will be available during pendency of the patent application making reference to the deposit to one determined by the Director to be entitled thereto under 37 C.F.R. § 1.14 and 35 U.S.C. § 122, and all restrictions on the availability to the public of the deposited material will be irrevocably removed upon the granting of the patent.
- 6. All statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under 18 U.S.C. § 1001, and that such willful or false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application.

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